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MYSTERIOUS JOKER

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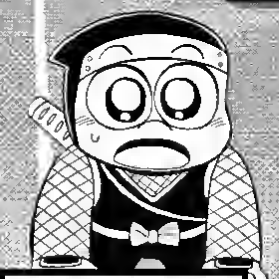
CHARACTER INTRODUCTIONS



HACHI

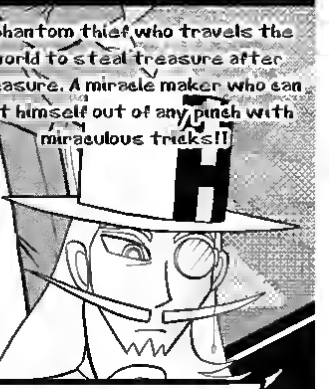
Joker's assistant. Can be a bit unreliable sometimes, but he's always there to support Joker.

JOKER

A phantom thief who travels the world to steal treasure after treasure. A miracle maker who can get himself out of any pinch with miraculous tricks!!

DIAMOND QUEEN

Silver Heart's granddaughter. A female phantom thief who trained alongside Joker and Spade.



SILVER HEART

A legendary phantom thief that goes by the name "The Silver Magician." Joker and Spade's master.

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MYSTERIOUS JOKER
Shadow Joker
A mysterious young man who looks exactly like Joker. He uses violent means to steal.
Dokusaburou Oniyama
Head of the Tokyo metro police department's phantom thief task force. With a mind like a steel trap, relentlessly chases after Joker.
Dark Eye
Spade's faithful assistant.
Spade
Joker's greatest rival. They may fight like cats and dogs, but deep down they trust one another.

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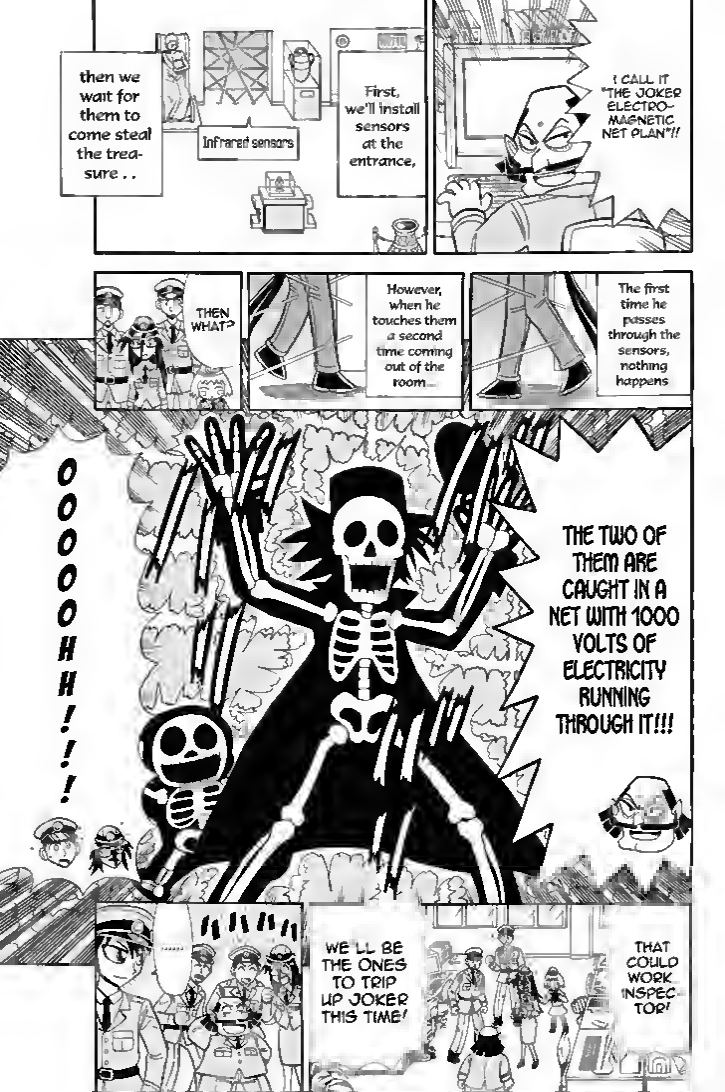
EXTRAS CORNER

The Queen of Diamond and Tears (Part 1)

WE RECEIVED AN ADVANCE NOTICE FROM JOKER!?
WHAAAT !?
Inspector Oniyama
HMPH
A CARD WAS DISCOVERED AT THE ENTRANCE TO CROSS ART MUSEUM.
Tonight at 9 o'clock, I will be taking the Czar's treasure, "The Imperial Easter Egg."
Phantom Thief Joker

A FIRST-CLASS PHANTOM THIEF WHO TRAVELS ALL OVER THE WORLD ALONG WITH HIS ASSITANT HACHI.
PHAN-TOM THIEF JOKER.
NUOOO~!! HIM AGAIN~!!
CALM DOWN INSPEC-TOR!
GOING BY THE ALIAS, "MIRACLE MAKER."
!?
!?
HE STEALS BY USING A VARIETY OF TRICKS AND DISGUISES...
I HAVE A PLAN AT THE READY FOR JUST THIS SORT OF OCCAS-SION!
GA-HAHAHA HA! NO NEED TO WORRY!
WHAT SHOULD WE DO, INSPEC-TOR ?


then we wait for them to come steal the treasure . .
Infrared sensors
First, we'll install sensors at the entrance,
I CALL IT "THE JOKER ELECTRO-MAGNETIC NET PLAN"!!
THEN WHAT?
However, when he touches them a second time coming out of the room...
The first time he passes through the sensors, nothing happens
OOOOOHH!!!
THE TWO OF THEM ARE CAUGHT IN A NET WITH 1000 VOLTS OF ELECTRICITY RUNNING THROUGH IT!!!
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WE'LL BE THE ONES TO TRIP UP JOKER THIS TIME!
THAT COULD WORK, INSPECTOR!

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OH? I SEE.
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WAH-!!
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HOW'D IT GO? DID YOU GET ANY USEFUL INFORMATION?
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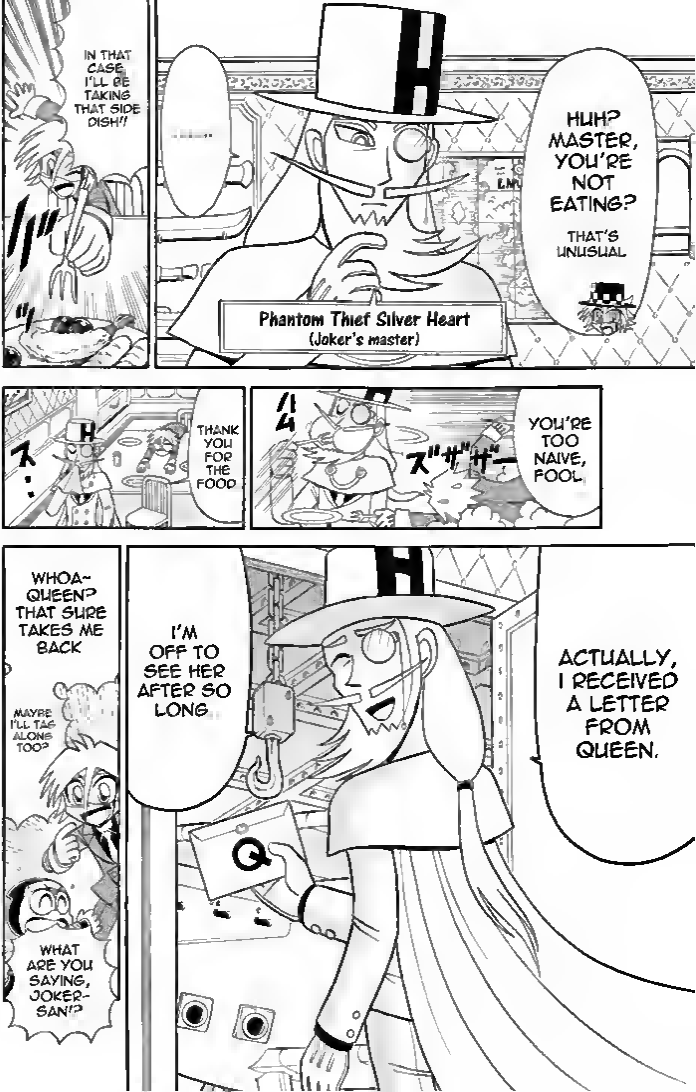
Tonight's treasure is as good as ours!
YEAH
THEY PRETTY MUCH BLABBED ABOUT EVERY-THING I NEEDED TO KNOW
Phantom Thief Joker
JUST DON'T EAT SO MUCH THAT YOU CAN'T MOVE, ALRIGHT?
THERE'S STILL TIME BEFORE NIGHT FALLS SO LET'S HEAD HOME FOR SOME GRUB!
A SPECIAL GUM THAT COVERS THE BODY WITH A DISGUISE
PHAN-TOM THIEF TOOL "IMAGE GUM"
Time to dig in!
JOKER


IN THAT CASE, I'LL BE TAKING THAT SIDE DISH!!
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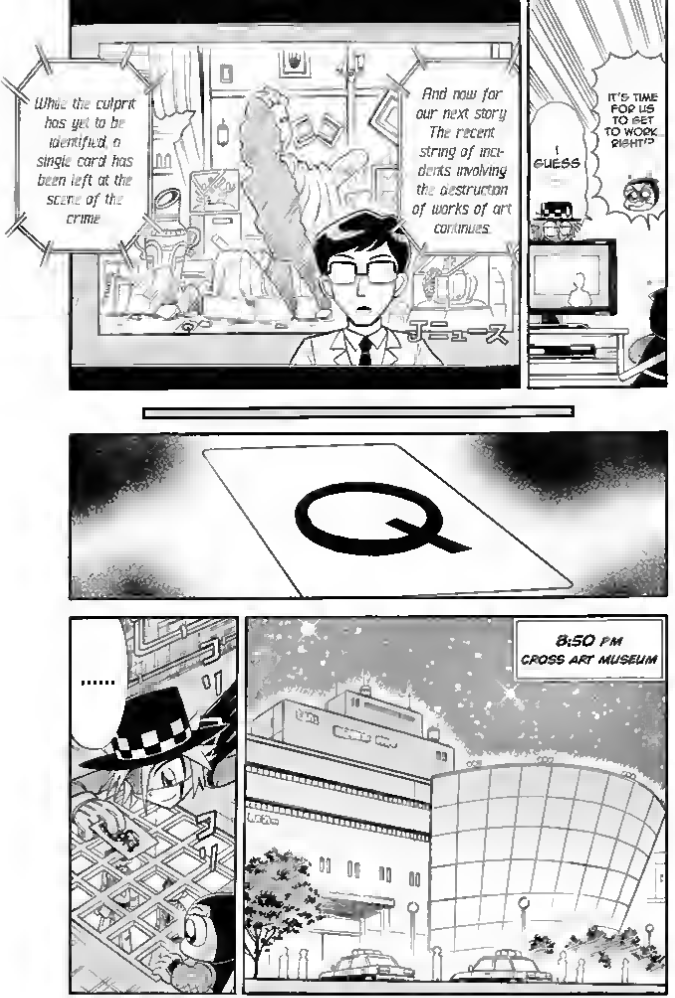
HUH? MASTER, YOU'RE NOT EATING?
THAT'S UNUSUAL
Phantom Thief Silver Heart
(Joker's master)
THANK YOU FOR THE FOOD
YOU'RE TOO NAIVE, FOOL
WHOA~ QUEEN? THAT SURE TAKES ME BACK
MAYBE I'LL TAG ALONG TOO?
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, JOKER-SAN!?
I'M OFF TO SEE HER AFTER SO LONG...
ACTUALLY, I RECEIVED A LETTER FROM QUEEN.


While the culprit has yet to be identified, a single card has been left at the scene of the crime
And now for our next story. The recent string of incidents involving the destruction of works of art continues.
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I GUESS
IT'S TIME FOR US TO GET TO WORK, RIGHT!?
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CROSS ART MUSEUM

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A CARD?
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WHAT IS THIS?
DON'T WORRY, I'VE GOT IT COVERED!
BUT THERE'S A TRAP SET UP AT THE ENTRACE TO THE ROOM, RIGHT?
LET'S GRAB THE TREASURE BEFORE ANY OTHER GUARDS COME!
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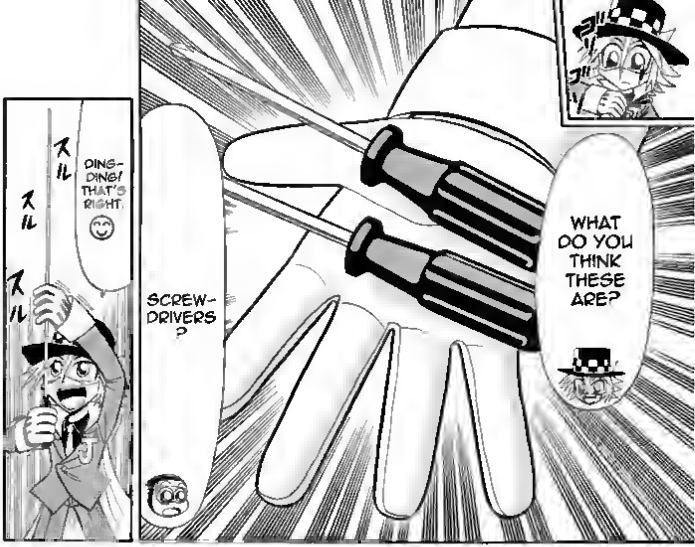
Pachinko balls

UWAAAH!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING!? WHY WOULD YOU SET OFF THE TRAP BEFORE STEALING THE TREASURE!!?
IT'S THE SAME EITHER WAY.
ONCE WE ENTER, WE CAN'T GET OUT.
THAT JUST LEAVES US WITH ONE OPTION—
WE STEAL THE TREASURE WITHOUT ENTERING THE ROOM!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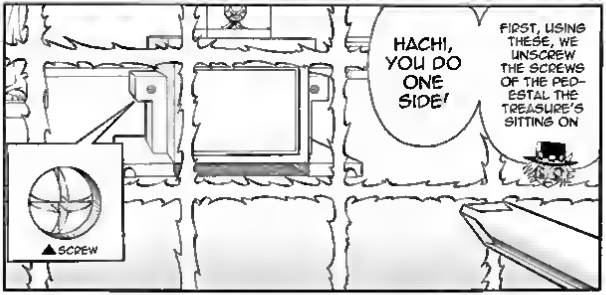
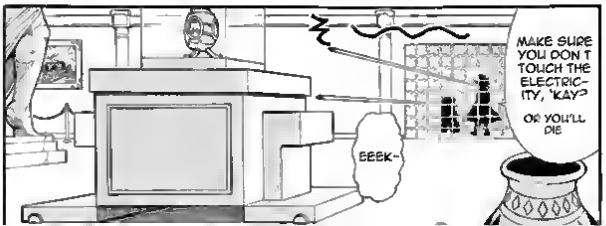
DING-DING! THAT'S RIGHT
SCREW-DRIVERS?
WHAT DO YOU THINK THESE ARE?


▲SCREW
HACHI, YOU DO ONE SIDE!
FIRST, USING THESE, WE UNSCREW THE SCREWS OF THE PEDESTAL THE TREASURE'S SITTING ON


EEEK-
MAKE SURE YOU DON'T TOUCH THE ELECTRICITY, 'KAY?
OR YOU'LL DIE

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CAREFULLY. CAREFULLY...
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ALRIGHT, NOW SLOWLY TURN IT
I REACHED MY SCREW TOO
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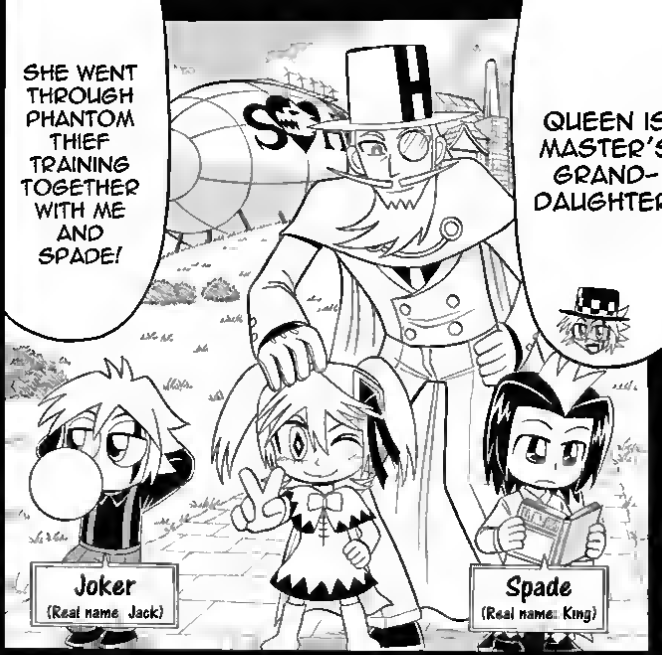
THIS IS KINDA TEDIOUS.
IT'S MAKING ME NERVOUS
OH, QUEEN?
WHO IS THIS QUEEN PERSON ANYWAY?
I'M CURIOUS
COME TO THINK OF IT, YOUR MASTER WAS TALKING ABOUT MEETING SOMEONE TONIGHT


SHE WENT THROUGH PHANTOM THIEF TRAINING TOGETHER WITH ME AND SPADE!
QUEEN IS MASTER'S GRAND-DAUGHTER.
Joker
(Real name: Jack)
Spade
(Real name: King)

SHE SURE HAD GUTS, AT THE VERY LEAST.
I WONDER IF SHE'S BECOME A FULL-FLEDGED PHANTOM THIEF BY NOW?

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?
AND YOU MADE PRETTY GOOD TIME
ALRIGHT, YOU TWO CLEARED IT
SEVERAL YEARS AGO

YAA!!
I'LL BE THE ONE TO BECOME THE BEST PHANTOM THIEF THERE IS!
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DON'T THINK YOU'VE WON JUST BECAUSE YOU PASSED THIS SILLY EXERCISE!
Queen
IF YOU'RE GOING TO LAUGH, JUST GET IT OVER WITH.
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KYAAAAAA
YOU'RE SUCH A KLUTZ!
DON'T LAUGH!
DON'T YOU THINK IT'S A LITTLE TOO SOON FOR YOU TO UNDERGO TRAINING?
THAT'S NOT TRUE!
I'M YOUR GRAND-DAUGHTER, AFTER ALL!
THERE'S NO WAY I'D LOSE TO THOSE TWO!
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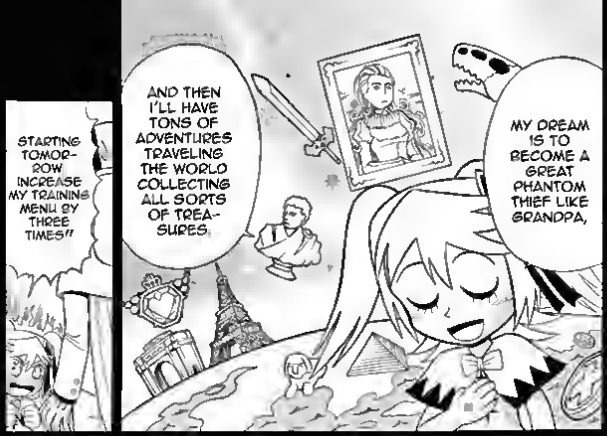
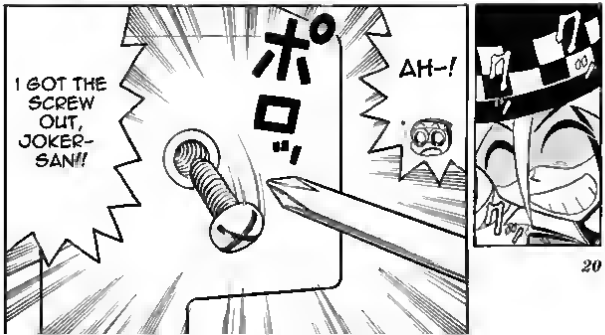

MY DREAM IS TO BECOME A GREAT PHANTOM THIEF LIKE GRANDPA,
AND THEN I'LL HAVE TONS OF ADVENTURES TRAVELING THE WORLD COLLECTING ALL SORTS OF TREASURES.
STARTING TOMORROW INCREASE MY TRAINING MENU BY THREE TIMES!!

HEY NOW, DON'T BE SO UNREASONABLE.
THEN INCREASE MINE BY FIVE TIMES!
THEN TEN TIMES FOR ME!!
I'M FINE AS IS...


I GOT THE SCREW OUT, JOKER-SAN!!
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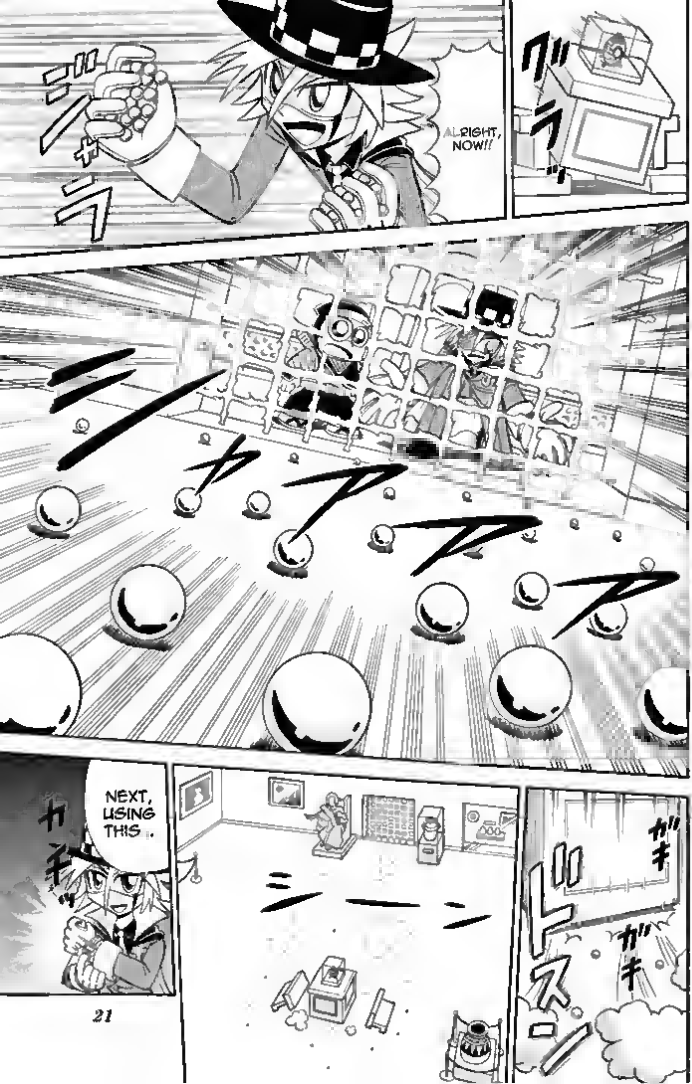
ALRIGHT, NOW!!
NEXT, USING THIS.

THE STAND HOLDING THE TREASURE IS MOVING!?
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Magnet mode
AAH!!
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YOU PULLED THE METAL PACHINKO BALLS TOWARDS YOU WITH THE ELECTROMAGNET BUILT INTO YOUR WATCH
I GET IT!!

THE TREASURE "THE IMPERIAL EASTER EGG"!!
IS NOW MINE!!
AFTER HIIIAAM~! CAPTURE JOKER~!!
Too bad, Inspector Oniyama!
And with that, ladies and gentlemen, au revoir!
WHY YOU ~!
JOKER-SAN, LOOK!!
THERE'S SOMEONE STANDING IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD!?
HM?

EHP?
WHAT WAS THAT JUST NOW?
AAAAAAAAAH!!
THE CAR'S BEEN CUT IN HALF!?
JAK

UWaaaHH!!
YOU OKAY, HACHI?
DARN IT...
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THERE'S NOTHING IT CAN'T CUT...
THIS SWORD IS MADE OF DIAMOND
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!?
LONG TIME NO SEE, JOKER.
DO YOU REMEMBER ME, I WONDER?
THAT VOICE... IT CAN'T BE... YOU'RE...

QUEEN!!!

YOU'RE ALL UNDER ARREST !!
WE'VE CAUGHT UP TO YOU, JOKER!! IS THAT GIRL A PHANTOM THIEF TOO!?

THERE HE IS! OVER THERE!!

!?
WAAAH!!
SHE'S A LOT DIFFERENT THAN I IMAGINED
THAT'S QUEEN-SAN?
DARN IT... MY CAPE IS CAUGHT...
YO, QUEEN
YOU'VE GOTTEN TALLER.
YOU HERE TO STEAL THE TREASURE TOO?
STEAL? NO
DON'T MIS-UNDER-STAND

I WILL DESTROY ALL TREASURES.

PHANTOM THIEVES ARE NOTHING BUT TRASH BLINDED BY GREED
WAKE UP ALREADY.

WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU!?
IDIOT, DON'T!!
IF THERE'S NO MORE TREASURE, THEN THERE'S NO MORE NEED FOR PHANTOM THIEVES!!
DON'T TRY TO ARGUE WITH ME ABOUT IT!!

MASTER!?
STOP, QUEEN !!
I NEVER WANT TO SEE YOUR FACE AGAIN! I WROTE THAT IN MY LETTER!!
DON'T TOUCH ME!!
RECONSIDER THIS!
I CAME TO STOP YOU
HAA --!
YOU ARE MY ENEMY!!
I'M NO LONGER ANY FAMILY OF YOURS!
QUEEN....

AAAAAAAH!!
THE TREASURE I JUST STOLE...!
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HM?
NO! THIS ISN'T THE IMPERIAL EASTER EGG!!
IT'S A WOODEN FAKE!!
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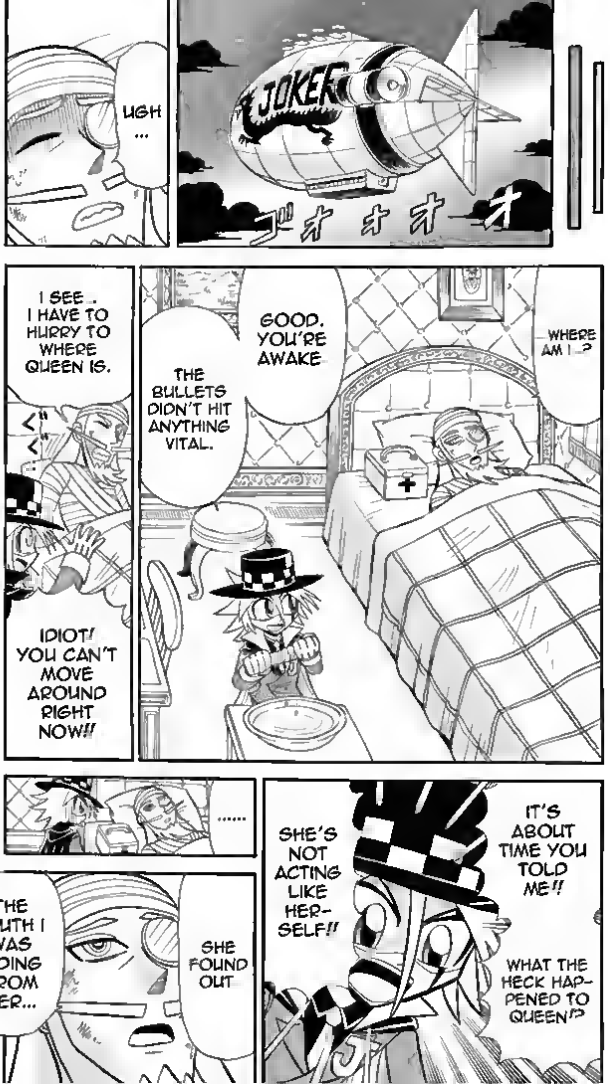
HACHI! HURRY AFTER THE REAL ONE!!
RIGHT!
ONCE THAT PLANE'S IN THE AIR, YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO TOUCH IT!
RIGHT ABOUT NOW, THE REAL EGG SHOULD BE ON ITS WAY TO A FLIGHT HEADED FOR RUSSIA
YOU FELL FOR IT.
YOU WANT TO BE CUT UP TOO!?
YOU AND YOUR UNNECESSARY TRICKS!
YOU THINK YOU'LL MAKE IT IN TIME IF YOU LEAVE NOW!!?
ジャキン
OPEN FIRE ON THAT PHANTOM THIEF!!
THIS IS BAD!
SHE'S GOING TO KILL THE INSPECTOR!

LOOK OUT, QUEEN!!
AH!!
AH!!
AH!!
DARN IT...!
MASTER!!

ALL RIGHT...?
...IS QUEEN...
STAY WITH ME!!
ARE YOU OKAY, MASTER!?
THIS WON'T MAKE ME FORGIVE YOU!!
I DIDN'T ASK YOU TO SAVE ME!
WHY NOT JUST COME ALONG QUIETLY!?
HAVING A FALLING OUT, JOKER?
QUEEN!!
IT'S JUST ONE THING AFTER ANOTHER-
DARN IT...

Suntory Whisky
ROYAL
Whiskey
I KNOW MASTER MUST'VE BROUGHT THAT WITH HIM, RIGHT?
DID YOU KNOW?
ALCOHOL IS EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE
YOU DON'T MEAN STOP!
UWAAAAA-!! FALL BACK!!
NOW'S OUR CHANCE!!
DON'T DIE ON ME, MASTER, YOU HEAR!?


UGH ...
JOKER
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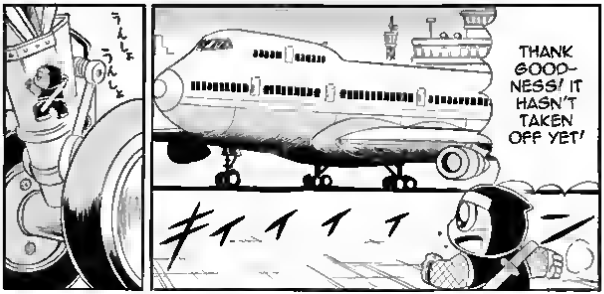
WHERE AM I...?
GOOD. YOU'RE AWAKE
THE BULLETS DIDN'T HIT ANYTHING VITAL.
I SEE. I HAVE TO HURRY TO WHERE QUEEN IS.
IDIOT! YOU CAN'T MOVE AROUND RIGHT NOW!!
.....
IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU TOLD ME!!
SHE'S NOT ACTING LIKE HER-SELF!!
WHAT THE HECK HAP-PENED TO QUEEN!?
SHE FOUND OUT
THE TRUTH I WAS HIDING FROM HER...

JOKER
QUEEN IS...
NOT MY GRAND-DAUGHTER.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THANK GOOD-NESS! IT HASN'T TAKEN OFF YET!
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HERE IT IS! SO THIS IS THE REAL ONE!?

EEEK ~!
YOU FOUND IT FOR ME.
THAT'S RIGHT...
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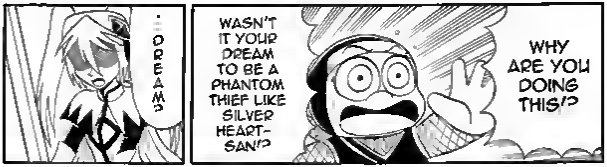
...DREAM?
WASN'T IT YOUR DREAM TO BE A PHANTOM THIEF LIKE SILVER HEART-SAN!?
WHY ARE YOU DOING THIS!?

THAT MAN IS MY ENEMY!! HE STOLE EVERYTHING FROM ME!!
I THREW AWAY A WORTH-LESS THING LIKE THAT A LONG TIME AGO!!

ALL THIS TIME, EVER SINCE THAT DAY!!
HE WAS DECEIVING ME.
THOSE TWO HAVE ALREADY BECOME PHANTOM THIEVES!
WHY AM I THE ONLY ONE WHO HASN'T GRADUATED!?
GRAND PA!
GRAND-PA!
I'M GOING OUT FOR A BIT. I'LL MAKE DINNER WHEN I GET BACK.
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THAT'S ALL YOU EVER SAY!
"SOON." "SOON."
THERE'S NO NEED TO RUSH. YOU'LL GET THERE SOON.
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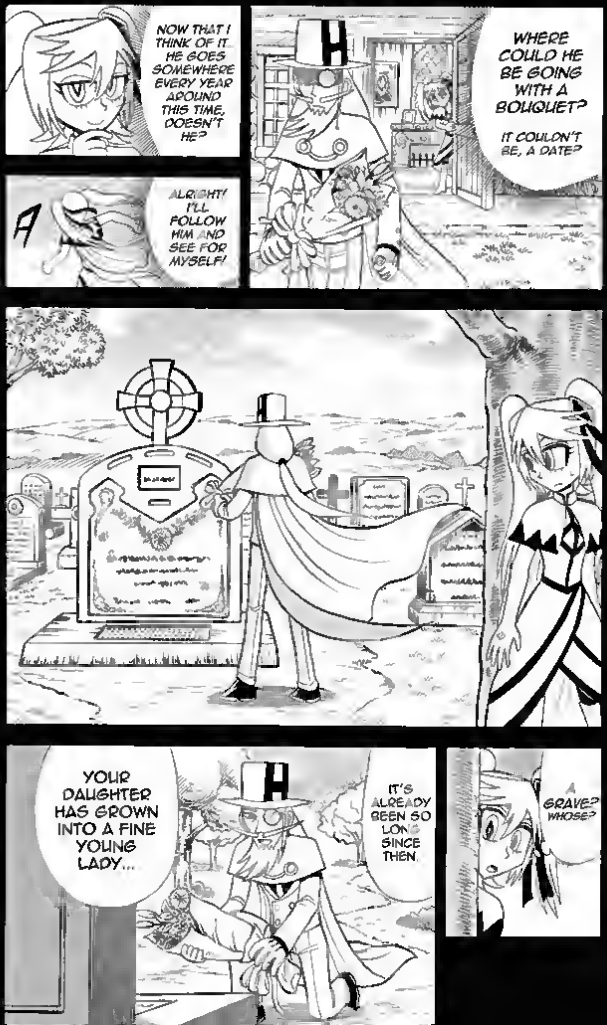
NOW THAT I THINK OF IT... HE GOES SOMEWHERE EVERY YEAR AROUND THIS TIME, DOESN'T HE?
WHERE COULD HE BE GOING WITH A BOUQUET?
IT COULDN'T BE, A DATE?
ALRIGHT! I'LL FOLLOW HIM AND SEE FOR MYSELF!
A GRAVE? WHOSE?
IT'S ALREADY BEEN SO LONG SINCE THEN.
YOUR DAUGHTER HAS GROWN INTO A FINE YOUNG LADY...

EH !?
QUEEN, WHO I STOLE FROM YOU BOTH WHEN SHE WAS ONLY A BABY...
I KNOW! IF I INVESTI-GATE THAT GRAVE...
He stole me... as a baby !?
W-what is he talking about? That's a lie!
FOUND IT... THIS IS IT!
Here lie the Emeralds, husband and wife

EMERALD ROYAL COUPLE MURDERED
THE CULPRIT IS PHANTOM THIEF SILVER HEART!?

According to eye-witnesses, the phantom thief then kidnapped the couple's three month old daughter.
The couple was seen murdered by the phantom thief caught in the act of stealing their treasure.

BUT THAT'S ...
in which a diamond shaped birthmark could be seen on her right hand.
A photograph of the child survived the fire

That man killed my parents!?
He deceived me this whole time!?
ALL OF IT...
ALL OF IT WAS A LIE...
LWAAA

NO DREAMS
OR FAMILY ...
I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING ANYMORE
WHO NEEDS PHANTOM THIEVES.
I'LL SLICE EVERY LAST TREASURE TO PIECES!!
KAAAAAA~!!
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T-THERE'S NOWHERE FOR ME TO RUN!!!
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HAA!!!
STOP IT!! QUEEN!

JOKER
JOKER!!?
I WON'T LET ANYBODY DESTROY IT!!
BUT THAT TREASURE IS MINE!!
THE REASON YOU CHANGED
I HEARD THE WHOLE STORY FROM MASTER

NO MATTER WHAT
I WILL STOP YOU!
CAN YOU STOP ME, I WONDER?
JOKER-SAN!!

SAVE HER HEART ...
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tt"
PLEASE, JOKER...
QUEEN!!!
NOW, LET'S SETTLE THIS ONCE AND FOR ALL!!